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The claims in this Preliminary Amendment serve to replace the originally filed claims and correspond to the originally filed claims as follows:

Claims in this
Preliminary Amendment

Originally filed Claims

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48	1 and 6
49	1 and 21
50	1 and 23
51	1 and 25
52	1 and 26
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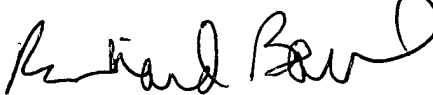
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85 to 92	40
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103 to 118	42

Enclosed is a check for \$3,202.00 in payment of five independent claims in excess of 3 and 154 additional total claims.

Appl. No. 10/629,108
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If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,



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